#### COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION.

Miss Tracy of Choyenne is a guest of Miss Nettie Clarke of Fifth avenue. Malcomb McKenzie and wife and Daniel Judge Smith Gives a Guilty Man a Severe

Allen Terry of Chicago has been engaged by A. W. Rick fancy drinks. Rickman as dispenser of soda and

Misses Wailing and Shiley of Missouri Valley, who have been here visiting for sev-eral days, have returned home. H. C. Dale and H. Latshaw of Chicago, officers of the United States Masonic Benevclent association, are in the city. Ray John Askin was called to Kearney, Nob., yesterday to officiate at the funeral of the son of State Secator Andrews.

The Grand hotel, Council Bluffs. High class in every respect. Rates, \$2.50 per day and upward. E. F. Clarke, proprietor. Mrs. F. W. Whitney of Laramie is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Proctor of North Eighth street.

Mrs. C. R. Smith of Eikhart, Ind., arrived in the city this morning on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Klein, 422 Damon

The motion for a new trial in the case of Kimball Bros. against Deere, Wells & Co. was sustained by Judge Smith yesterday aft-

The Knights and Ladles of Security will meet in special session at the home of G. B. Nesley, 820 South Sixth street, on Saturday Unity Guild will hold a special meeting

Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Watts on North First street. Members are requested to be present. H. L. Miller, wife and child of Tampa, Fla., are in the city, guests of D. J. Clarke and family. Mr. Miller states the Cuban war has paralyzed the tobacco interests of

Deputy Sheriff Weightman returned from Neola last evening, having in custody a farmer named William Gayhart, who was in-dicted by the grand jury for forgery and

The estate of Mary Kirkwood has been closed up and the administrator discharged. The report shows that the estate consisted of \$565 in cash and personal property and \$3,000 in bank stock.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to John Lanham of Weeping Water, Neb., aged 64, and Sarah E. Flint of Elgin, Ill., aged 56. They were married during the afternoon by Justice Vein. The third of the series of band concerts

by Dalbey's band attracted a big crowd to Scott and Broadway last night. The program consisted of unusually good selections and the audience was well pleased.

James Bonner, a commercial traveler for O. W. Butts, was brought home last evening suffering from a badly sprained foot, which was the result of a misstep in Onawa. He will be crippled for some time.

All members of Bluffs division No. 27, Knights of Pythias, are requested to be present at their hall Saturday, May 30, at 1 p. m., sharp, to take part in Decoration services. By order of the captain. The meeting of the Bar association, Re-ail Merchants' association and Merchants

and Manufacturers' association to consider the proposition to assist in entertaining the delegates to the Commercial Law league will be held Friday evening.

All soldiers and sallors living in the city wishing to join with Abe Lincoln post No. 29, Grand Army of the Republic, in commemorating the noble deeds of our fallen comrades will meet at G. A. R. hall at 1 clock sharp Saturday, May 30. The funeral of the late Mrs. J. W. Cross

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. W. Close land will take place Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, 156 Washington avenue, Rev. Stephen Phelps officiating. John Clausen, John Beno, Spencer Smith, William Groneweg, J. H. Arthur and A. D. Foster will be the pail bearers. A delightful kensington was given in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church yes-terday afternoon by the women of the

church. The program was opened by a piano solo by Miss Olla Cook, followed by a bit of charming elecution by Miss Lyons, a solo by Miss Hattie Palmer, and a plane sole by Mrs. Nate Keys. There was a large at-

low arrested Sunday for intoxication who claimed to be a representative of Robinson's circus. Only one member of the force glanced at the circular, and he neglected to look at the date or the address of the circular. They are confident that the drunken fellow lying in the city jail is worth \$200 to them, but they don't know where to go to get the money.

For Sale-Hotel Fairview, Brown County, Kan.; good building, just painted and pa-pered throughout. Will sell with furniture at bargain; only hotel in thriving town. Address J. J. Gravatte, Council Bluffs, Ia. Sewer Pipe, Fire Brick, Belting.

Wholesale and retail, J. C. Bixby, 202

At the Opening of Manawa. The following program will be given by Dalbey's band at Lake Manawa on Decoration day for the benefit of the Episcopal ladies, who have charge that day. There will also be some choice vocal selections. which will be announced tomorrow. No advance from the regular prices:

Grand Fantasma—From Fireside to Battlefield

Dalbey
Descriptive reminiscence of the war, Introducing Wail McFadden's drum corps and the High school cadets in sham battle.

Synopsis—Camp at home—The church clock strikes 4—Reveille—Breakfast cali—March to the train (Girl I Left Behind Me)—The soldiers' fareweil—Trip by train to seat of war—At seene of battle—Union band plays "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp'—Confederate band in the distance, plays "Bonnie Hiue Flag"—Union band, "Red, White and Blue"—Confederate band, "Suwanee River"—Union band, "Marching Thro' Georgia"—Confederate band, "Dixie"—Union band, "The Vacant Chair"—Confederate band, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia"—Taps—"Tenting Tonight"—Assembly—Just before the battle—Commence firing—Battle scene, latroducing artillery—The retreat—Star Spangled Banner.

Tarquato Tasso, selection from opera...

Donizetti
Patrol—The Bine and Gray—Dalbey

Patrol—The Blue and Gray Donizetti
Overture—Arladue Griswold

Notice of Meeting. There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association at the mayor's office. evening, May 29, at 8 o'clock sharp. Important business will come up. FRED M. LOOMIS, Secretary.

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prices are right! Our goods will you. H. L. SMITH & CO. Mr. Campbell Gets a Verdiet.

The suit of T. S. Campbell, ex-clerk of the courts, against the county, was decided by Judge Smith yesterday in Mr. Campbe'l's While Mr. Campbell was clerk of the in 1893, the Board of Supervisors a resolution fixing his salary and cout the fee for making a return of the births, deaths and marriages to the State Board of Health, as required by law. Mr. Campbell made this report in 1894 and filed his claim for \$105 for the work. The board refused the bill and he commenced

The plaintiff and the county agreed some time ago on an agreed state of facts and the case was submitted to Judge Smith. His decision was rendered yesterday and was in favor of Campbell, the amount due being fixed at \$90.80. The case will not be ap-

When you go down to Lake Manawa on Decaration day try to ride on the Episcopal ladies' car. It will cost you no more and help a good cause. Dalbey's band will fur-nish the mus c during the day and evening. Ladies will serve ice cream, etc.

Gas ranges and service connections at half price for fifteen days. Call at company's Wall paper cleaned, new process, with office for full particulars. 210 Main and 214 patent right at Miller's. 108 Main street.

Pasturage. L. P. Judson, 929 Sixth ave.

Roast.

KEPT A SUSPECT OUT OF HARM'S WAY

Grand Jury Informed that Some Member Was Ignoring the Court's Orders Concerning the Observation of Secrecy.

A member of the grand jury has been talking, and he is now sorry for it.

When the grand fury made its report on Wednesday Judge Smith stated that he had been informed that a member of the jury had not obeyed the court's injunction about keeping jury room deliberations a profound secret. He said that a violation of this instruction of the court was oure to be followed by trouble, and cautioned the jurors again to remember the admonition of the

sufficient, but it seems that it was not. Yesterday when the grand jury was called before Judge Smith it was evident that he had something unpleasant on his mind. The judge is usually a most affable gentleman, and when he turned loose on the jury yesterday it was evident that he wue much perturbed. He said he had supposed that his admonition of the day before would have been sufficient to stop any gossiping that may have been indulged in, thoughtlessly or otherwice, by any members of the grand jury, and that he was surprise and incensed to know that his instructions had been ignored. He had caused, he said, a special watch to be placed on a member of the grand jury who was under suspicion, and that he had proof positive that the member had gone directly from the jury room to a conference with a party who had been under consideration in the grand jury room. "There is a lack of posi-tive evidence," said the court, "that the juror divulged the secrets of the jury room. If I had that positive proof that I feel certain exists I would not he state to prosecute the offender to the fullest limit. In the absence of direct proof I can only denounce the action in general terms without making the individual reprimand and punishment that the case merita.

"The member of the jury to whom I am referring knows that my remarks are addressed to him. The gentlemen who have obeyed the court instructions know that they are not included in this censure and should

take no offense." There was no question in the minds of the opectators as to the guilty party. One of the members of the jury commenced squirming as soon as the judge began to talk. He slid down into his chair and tried to bury his face in his coat collar. The part of his face exposed was as red as the proverbial turkey gobbler's shout, and when the jury was d smissed he lost no time in getting out of the room. Juage Smith was highly indignant over the case and expressed his regret that there was a lack of the evidence necessary to institute a presecutio

MOVEMENT AGAINST A PRINCIPAL Prof. Eastman of the High School the

Object of Opposition. There has been a great deal of talk concerning the administration of affairs of the Council Bluffs High school by Prof. East-This talk has not been confined to the pupils of the school and their parents, but the situation has been discussed by

principal except that he has been condemned tendance.

A vagrant breeze wandered into the police station the other day and carried away a circular that came through the mails offering a reward of \$200 for the arrest of a fellow named Davis. The description fits the fellow arrested Sunday for intoxication who man has been held accountable in a measure for this unfortunate condition, and some of the members of the board have determined that the best interests of the school demand his retirement, and it is intimated that at the present time there are a majority of the members of the board opposed to his re-election. But the professor is not without friends in the school who are willing to take up the fight, for him. The High School cadets held a meeting yesterday and adopted

the following strong resolutions, and sent a copy to the members of the board:

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Whereas, It has come to cur knowledge, as a company, that a certain sentiment exists, which sentiment opposes Mr. Eastman's longer holding his position as principal of our High school; and Whereas, Our cadet company was organized and has grown to its present position and standing as an organization in the High school under his advice and care; and Whereas, We believe Mr. Eastman, more than any other man, has contributed to our prosperity, and that this sentiment opposing him has been brought about by indirect causes and by no fault on the part of Mr. Eastman personally; therefore, be it Resolved. That we, as members of the Council Bluffs High school cadets, do hereby express our deep regret that such a feeling exists and, furthermore, that we hereby manifest our own desire that Mr. Eastman be retained in his present position as our principal. And also be it Resolved, That we wish it distinctly understood that this action on our part is entirely without the suggestion or even the knowledge of Mr. Eastman.

Davis, drugs, paints and glass; tel. 289.

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Will Choose Paving Material. The property owners on First street will meet the city council Friday evening for the purpose of settling the kind of material that is to be used in repaying the street. The council will be guided wholly by the wishes of the majority of them. Vitrified Council Bluffs brick seems to be the material most in favor with those who have given the subject the most attention. People are be-glinning to realize the fact that brick made of Council Bluffs clay and burned to vittification is the best paving material that can be found, with the exception of asphalt or granite. The very best paving in the city, that has withstood five or six years of usage, is made of home brick. They are not so smooth, but are denser and more homeogenious than any foreign bricks that have been sent here as specimens, and are next to granite in resisting fracture and chipping. It is almost a foregone conclusion that the majority of the South First street people will declare their preference for home made

Hot Bed Sash. We have 1,000 hot bed sash which we are going to close out. They won't last long. How many do you want? We will make you a price that can't be duplicated. C. B. Paint, Oil and Glass company, Masonic Temple. Council Bluffs.

Dr. Cleaver's office moved to 600 Broadway.

Mrs. Beach Must Be Protected. Justice Cook rende ed his decision in the Beach-Beckwith-Rice neighborhood row yesterday afternoon and held that Mrs. Beach, who had been so grossly insulted and abused by her neighbors, Mrs. Beckwith and Mrs. Rice, must be protected. Mrs. Beckwith was put under \$50 bonds to keep the peace, and a promise was extracted from her that the was to move from Mrs. Beach's neighbor-hood as soon as possible. An effort was made to dismiss the case against Mrs. Rice. who is Mrs. Beckwith's mother, but prosecution would not consent to it. seems to have been the General Weyler of the neighborhood and conceived and directed the assaults upon the Beach family. She will be given a trial in a few days.

Housekeepers are in despair when they visit the Durfee Furniture company. All the new things are so handsome and so cheap that they want the whole store.

JUROR CALLED TO ACCOUNT CLOSING OF THE HIGH SCHOOL HOUGH GETS A JAIL SENTENCE Commencement Day to Be Made a

Most Memorable Occasion. The next few days will be fraught with great interest to the large class of High school graduates, comprising fifty-five bright boys and girls. There is no other period in life when everything is so charmingly tinted with the rose hue as commencement days in school life. It is a great event to the members of the immense class that will finish their lower studies and be graduated either into active life or into the great unversities where they will complete a higher educa-Commencement week will begin on by morning at 10:30, when Rev. L. P. McDonald will preach the baccalaureate ser

mon in St. Paul's church. Monday will be a day of rest and preparation.

Tuesday will be a day of a hletic sport. It will be cadet field day, and the events that will characterize it as great will transpire at the Field club's park. The following pro-gram has been arranged:

Company drill, fifty yard dash, standing broad jump, half mile bloycle, individual competitive drill, one mile run, running broad jump, base ball throw, hurdle race three-legged race or relay race, mile walk running high jump, two mile bicycle, shot put, running hop, step and jump, one hun-dred yard dasa, pole vault. Gold medats dred yard dass, pole vault. Gold medals will be given for first place and silver med-

That kind of a hint should have been als for second place. The graduation exercises will take place in the New Dohany on Wednesday evening. Each of the fifty-five graduates have been required to prepare an oration or an essay They have all been typewritten and without any identifying marks have been submitted to a committee for criticism, with instruc-tions to pick out fifteen of the best. The fifteen selected were to constitute the fortunate pupils who were to have the honor of appearing before the vast audience in the theater. The following are the names of those chosen and the subjects of their papers. the whole constituting the program of the graduating exercises: nvocation

Invocation
Pickaninnies' Dance—Locaben
High School Orchestra
Oration—Napoleon and the Jews....
Cora A. Smith
Oration—The Modern Novel...
Essie K. Anderson
Orat'on—Relations Between England and
America...
Gertrude Green
Arion Ball—Selected...
Double Quartet
Oration—A Practical Business Education
"Charles Martin

Oration—Trough the Student's Eye.

Oration—The Advantages and Dangers of Organizations.

Description of the Events of Control o

Oration—The Advantages and Dangers of Organizations. B.rtha Eugene Slyter Selection from Bohemian G.rt. High School Orchestra Oration—Luck vs. Pluck. Ella Blaine Wirt Oration—Degeneracy in Public Life. George Seeksli Cavin Oration—Stylish Opinions. Haffrett Cecilia Walker Dorothea Valse—Locaben. High School Mandolin Club Recitation—The Boat Race. Minnie V. Wallace Oration—The Russian Jew in America. Oration—Municipal G vernment. Oration-Municipal G vernment. Stalactite Mazurka—Pratt

Rebert D. Halladay

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Oration—The Spirit of the Ase in Literature

erature

Oration—Nature and the Poets

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George W. Fletcher

Oration—Characteristics of the American

People

Henr etta J. Orls

Where Are You Going My Pretty Maid—

Selected

High School Giee Club

Presentation of Diplomas

Class Song R bert D. Halladay

WANTS BOTH THE CASH AND CORN Mrs. Gittens Has a Law Suit with Her

\* Honor appointments. \*\* Excused.

Daughter and a Lawyer. There is a lot of trouble in the courts over a domestic difficulty in the Gittens family, and a lawyer who got m'xed up in the case has a damage suit on his hands members of the Board of Education. No along with the sheriff, who sought to collect charges have ever been made against the a judgment ordered by the courts.

The case now on trial in the superior in a general way for laxity of discipline, court is that of Mrs. Mary Gittens against Sheriff Hazen. Some years ago Mrs. Petersen brought suit to collect a claim against her father and secured a verdict in the super.or court. Before the judgment could be carried out and collected Mr. Gittens transferred his property to his wife, who was a step-mother of Mrs. Petersen. Then Mrs. Petersen went to the district court and had the transfer set aside so far as the col lection of the judgment was concerned. this showing Sher'ff Hazen levied on the corn crop of 1895 and Mrs. Gittens brough suit to have the execution set aside. She claims that the crop is question belongs to her and that the execution should no have been levied against it. She asks porsession of the crop of corn, or its value in cach, which she places at \$300, and also asks damages against the ex-sheriff for \$200 Peterson intervened and the case has been taken under advisement by Judge Mc

Mr.s. Gittens commenced another suit yesterday as an outgrowth of this litigat on. She filed an action in the district court against W. H. Killpack, a Neola attorney who represents Mrs. Petersen, in which she aska damages in the sum of \$5,000. In this suit Mrs. G ttens alleges that Killpack, as the atterney for Mrs. Petersen, ordered the execution of the juigment against her property while fully aware that the corn crop in question belonged to her and not to Mr. Gittens, against whom the execution was issued. She asks for damages by reason of Mr. Killpack's action. Mr. Killpack has fied an answer in which he denies every-thing except that he name is Killpack and that he is an attorney in the employ of Mrs

Overman Dog Case Settled. Don Overman and his young woman friend who got into a serious scrape and became tangled up with a grand jury indictment for stealing a valuable St. Bernard dog from Lucius Wells, saw the end of their g lef yesterdsy. The case against the young woman was dismissed after the payment of the costs and Overman was permit ed to plead guilty to an indictment for petit larceny and pay a fine. Wells has recovered his dog and the oung man and young woman have received valuable lesson

Make arrangements to take your family take Manawa Saturday. You can supplement your lunch with ice cream and cake of St. Paul's church.

In harmony with the general arrangements made for Decoration day, those wishing to go with the section that attends Walnut Hill will form on Fourth street, with right resting on Broadway, to march following main procession to Broadway Methodist Episcopal church, thence south to Pierce street, and on Pierce to the cemetery. All ladies of auxiliary and others are requested to meet at Woodmen's hal, bringing flowers and evergreen, at 9 o'clock Saturday marand evergreen, at 9 o clock Saturd's marning and there assist in making bouquets and wreaths for graves. The Ladles' auxiliary will meet at 1:30 promptly at the hall to take conveyances for places in the line. All comrades of the Union Veteran legion and other so diers are invited to form in line on Fourth street at 1:45 sharp. W. S. Paulson has been chosen to act as mounted aide to the chief marshal of the day. At the cemetery a musical voluntary will be rendered while the graves are strewn with flowers. At the call of the bugler all will assemble at the speaker's stind to listen to music by the choir, with organ ac-companiment. The cration will be by Rev. Stephen Phelps and music by the choir

Water pressure filters, \$3. Stephan Bros

Picycle Thief in Jail. The bicycle thief who rented a wheel from local cycle company and rode out to Cres ent city and attempted to sell it for anything he could get for it, was arraigned be-fore Justice Cook yes erday. He gave three or four names and advised the court that he could use the one he liked best, frankly admitting at the same time that none of them were his true name. He is a bright, shrawd young man, not over 20 years old. He said he stole the wheel because he wanted to raise enough money to get back to his home in Rhode Island. He was not ready for trial Hoffmayr's Fancy Patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it. county fail in default of a large bond.

Terror of the Town Will Have to Board with the Sheriff a Month. Celly Hough pleaded guilty in Judge Smith's court yesterday to the charge of having assaulted James Pardoo. The offense was committed several weeks ago and Celly has been in jail since that time. Pardoc was at first thought to have been seriously injured, but he has fully recovered and doe not seem disposed to push the case. Accordingly when Hough pleaded guilty Judge Smith gave him thirty days in the county jail and fined him the court costs. Nels Petersen, the fellow who swindled

let of local merchants by borrowing small sums of money on the strength of big purchases he was going to make, pleaded guilty and wanted to be sentenced at once. Judge Smith decided to take the sentence under advisement for a few days at least. Harry Langdon and Frank Merritt, two

boys, pleaded guilty to the robbing of Galla-gher's grocery store. Sentence was deferred and the boys were released on bonds signed by their parents.

Robert Hall pleaded not guilty to the in-

dictment charging him with adultery Colonel Dailey was appointed to defend him John Wells, who earned an indictment for highway robbery for taking Clyde Fuhr's watch from him, pleaded not guilty and will be defended by W. C. Hendricks. Died at the Asylum.

Word was received yesterday of the death at the asylum at Clarinda of Frank C. Force The deceased was sent to the asylum from this city in July, 1894. He was a colored man who made a small fortune in the real estate business in the boom days. When his money was gone it was found that his mind had gone with it. He was without any property except some personal effects.

MILITIA FIGHT IN THE COURTS. Iowa National Guard Election Finally Lends to Litigation.

DES MOINES, May 28 .- (Special Telegram.)-The fight in the Iowa National Guard has broken into the courts and promises to be sensitional. Two menths ago John R. Prime was elected brigadier general of the Second br gade of the state guards. Two elections were held, the first resulting in no choice. After the first election Prime companies enlisted men up to the fuil legal limit, and voted them all, electing Prime at tire second election. Adjutant General H. H. Wright had taken the side of Colonel James A. Guest of Burlington against Prime, and even sent out telegrams ordering com-panies to vote solid for Guest. After Prime was elected he refused to issue his com-micsion or even canvass the vote. The Prime men got tired wa ting and today, af-ter the adjutant general and Governor Drake had been given opportunity to formally refuse to living the commission, a mandamus proceeding was begun in the district court against the governor and adjutant general to compel the issue of the commission. Notice was served on them this afternoon and the case will come up for hearing at the next term of court unless the commission is scoper lesued.

It is charged that General Wright has been gul ty of conduct unbecom bg an officer and gentleman in taking a partisan position in the election; also that he has violated the express provision of the state law by at-tempting to hold the office while he is not a resident of Des Milner, the law requiring that the adjutant general shall reside at the capital. The trouble has stiffed up much feeling among the guard, but the guardsmen will push it to the end. ,-

Class Day at Missouri Valley. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., May 28 .-(Special.)-The eleventh annual commencement exercises of the city High school are house was crowded to its utmost seating capacity of 1,000 people. Tonight the class of '96, numbering sixteen young ladies and gentlemen, will be formally graduated. Every sent in the opera house is sold. Tomorrow evening occurs the annual reception and banquet of the Alumni association, to which there are over 200 guests inv ted.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 28 .- (Special Telegram.)-Suit has been commenced in the district court by the city of Cedar Rapids against ex-Treasurer Stoddard and his bonds-Telegram.)-The army worm has appeared W. Beaver and George Williams, to George recover \$11,582, the amount of the alleged shortage of Stoddard at the time of his re-tirement from office a couple of months ago. Stod lard had been city treasurer more than

Army Worm in lown Grain. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 28.-(Special Telegram.)-The army worm has appeared it several places in this part of the state and is doing great damage.

The Commissary Department Of the human system is the stomach. consequence of its activity, the body is sup-plied with the elements of bone, brain, nerv-ous and muscular tissue. When indigestion impedes its functions, the best agent for imparting a healthful impetus to its operations is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, also a curative for malaria, bilious and kidney complaints, nervousness and constination.

LITTLE TROUBLE AT THE POLLS.

Only Five Arrests Caused by Enthu-Slasm and Campaign Beer.
Affairs wore a very quiet aspect at the polls yesterday for election time and the police had very little to do. Thomas Hughbanks and J. F. Hale, enthusiastic colored Broatch men, imbibed considerable free election beer during the afternoon down in the Third ward. and then began quarreling with bystanders whose minds did not run in the came chan-nels as there own. They were arrested and taken to police headquarters on a charge of being drunk and interfering with voters. At the Fifth ward primaries John Gordon and Tom Ryan got into a quarrel over their own particular candidates and were jailed for In the Sixth ward, at Sixteenth and Grace streets, Carl Brunner got into a fuss with a bystander while drunk and when Officer Arnold attempted to place him under arrest fought savagely, biting the officer in the arm quite severely. He was arrested

LIE PASSED BY DES MOINES' POSTMASTER

Hannan of Council Bluffs Charged with that Offense by that Federal Officeholder for a Recent Accusation.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., May 28.-At to day's session of the State Bankers' association convention the reports of the auditing and special committees were submitted Papers were read by Hon. L. F. Potter, Oakland, on "That Revenue Bill;" by W. B. Bonnifield, Ottumwa, on "Mistakes in Finance and Evil Tendencies," and by G. D. Ellyson, Des Moines, on "Gold." The latter was largely political and a etrong argument in favor of the gold standard. Silver sentiment was conspicuous by

its absence in this convention, The convention adjourned this evening. There was a lively and somewhat acrimonious discussion over charges made yesterday by Charles Hannan of Council Bluffs against prominent politicians for offering influence in favor of the bill to tax express companies and selling out to the latter. A telegram was received from Postmaster Hunter of Des Moines, declaring Hannan a liar. The convent on adopted a resolution strongly advocating gold as the only standard of value and against the free coinage of silver; also one of condolence and offering aid to St. Lonis sufferers.

The following offcers were elected: President, J. K. Deming, Dubuque; vice president C. R. Hannan, Council Bluffs; secretary, J. M. Dinwiddle, Celar Falls; treasurer, Charles H. Mart n. Des Moines; also a vice president for each congressional district. convention will probably be held in Mason

When Nature Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedles only when needed. The best and most simple and

gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Com

BRINGS IN ATTORNEY WEST (Continued from First Page.)

one written and signed by Gump in his presence:
Mr. Fitz-Mr. Sweeney did not get anything as to your agreement on this matter.
I can assure you as to that. You know what I mean by this note, I suppose; if not, I can tell you to your face. Your friend. You know my name. I do not wish to make you any trouble in the near future.

M. GUMP.

The witness talked the matter over fully with Gump and the latter wanted to make Fitzpatrick disgorge. Meetyn said to Gump that he didn't suppose he and Sweeney would want to get into court in order to get the money. Gump replied that he didn't care as far as he himself was concerned, as he had no one to care for, but Sweeney was a married man and Gump said he would as soon lie in jail as not in order to get even with Fitzpatrick. He wanted the witness to get the money from Fitzpatrick or "make him sweat for it."

George Housman, foreman of the first B lin jury, was the next witness called. His testimony was the same as that of Allen regarding the way the jury stood during the ballots. Gump said he would vote against conviction if the jury staid out a month. C. A. Allen, another juryman, was called. He testified that he had seen Corcoran and Sweeney in a buggy on Sixteenth street in in progress. Last evening occurred the class of sq. The opera the jury was on the way back to the court house was crowded to its utmost seating house. After the jury returned to the court house. After the jury returned to the court house the witness asked Gump if he had seen Sweeney on the street and Gump said he had seen him. The witness also saw Sweeney and Gump talking together at the

James Fitzpatrick, one of the men charged with being one of the principals in the brib-ery transaction, was called to the stand. This move on the part of the state threw the defense into great confusion and the three attorneys for the defense held a bur-

ried consultation. Fitzpatrick testified that he had known Sweeney for some time, Sweeney came to the house of the witness with Neil Corcoran. The next time he saw Sweeney was when he came to the house of the witness the day after the Bolln jury was discharged. was with Sweeney. Sweeney introluced Gump to the witness and Gump at once proceeded to describe the proceedings in the jury room. He said the jury stood six to oix at first and he (Gump) whispered to Juror Hurd and told him to "stand pat." Hurd said "all right" and then Hurd worked on Haynes and the three stood together all

The witness said the two men had come for the money and the witness told them he would see "the party" and give them the money the next day. The witness went to the office of Attorney J. W. West and the latter gave him the money. West gave the witness \$50 for Gump and \$5 for Corcoran. The witness met Sweeney and the latter told him that Gump was his brother-in-law and that if he gave Gump his money it would be all right. Gump came to the house of the witness and the witness gave him the money for himself and Sweeney. Gump at once went out and as soon as he had gone Sweeney came in and wanted his The witness told him he had given the money to Gump. Corcoran came in som after and when the witness offered him the \$5 he refused it.

WHERE THE MONEY CAME FROM. "Who gave you the money you speak of?

"Joel W. West." "For what purpose did he give it to you?"
"To give to Gump and Corcoran."

"Where was it given to you?"
"In Mr. West's office." "Who was present?" "Mr. West and myself; no one elas." The witness then described how the deal

was fixed up by Corcoran, who originated the coheme for getting at Gump, Returning again to West, the witness said West at first suggested giving Gump \$25. but when West gave the witness the money he handed him a \$50 bill, and the witness thought this was to be divided between on a charge of being drunk and resisting an Gump and Sweeney, but it seemed that Gump officer.

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for his money, and the witness told hin he had only \$10, and he gave that to Corroran.

The defense said they only cared to ask Fitzpatrick one question and that was to ask him how much he got out of the deal.

"I get nothing," replied Fitzpatrick. "Mr. West had been very kind to me in finding work for me, and when he asked me to do work for me, and when he asked me to do the deal.

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would do It." This completed the evidence, and the court instructed the county attorney to file an in-formation against West and treat him just the same as anybody else. "If Mr. West is gulty of this charge," continued the court. "he should suffer the penalty, and if he is not be should be given an opportunity to re move the cloud which now hangs over him. Court was then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning, and the county attorney at charging him with contempt of court on the of the others, and an attachment was placed the hands of the sheriff for service forth-

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